

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

MATTHEW SMITH,

Plaintiff,

V.

NANCY A. BERRYHILL, Deputy
Commissioner of Social Security for Operations,

Defendant.

CASE NO. C17-1514 BAT

**ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFF
LEAVE TO FILE A SURREPLY TO
THE COMMISSIONER'S RESPONSE
AND RENOTING MOTION FOR EAJA
ATTORNEY FEES**

The Court **GRANTS** plaintiff's motion for leave to file a surreply to the Commissioner's response regarding the motion for bad-faith EAJA sanctions against government counsel. Dkt. 20. Plaintiff should file a surreply by **September 7, 2018**, and the motion for EAJA attorney fees, Dkt. 15, is **RENOTED** for consideration on the same date. Plaintiff should include an updated timesheet that shows all time spent on responding/replying to the question of EAJA attorney fees and possible sanctions.

DATED this 30th day of August, 2018.

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BRIAN A. TSUCHIDA
Chief United States Magistrate Judge

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